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Title: APPARATUS AND METHOD FOR DATA TRANSMISSION

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Sir:

We enclose the following papers for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above patent application.

- 1. A check for \$1186.00 representing a \$1146.00 filing fee and \$40.00 for recording the Assignment.
- Application 42 pages, including 7 independent claims and 28 claims total.
- 3. Drawings 4 sheets of formal drawings containing 5 figures.
- 4. Declaration and Power of Attorney.
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- 6. Certified copy of Japanese Patent Application No. 11-373524, filed on December 28, 1999.
- 7. Information Disclosure Statement and Information Disclosure Citation, PTO 1449 with document attached.



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Applicant claims the right to priority based on Japanese Patent Application No. 11-373524, filed on December 28, 1999.

Please accord this application a serial number and filing date and record and return the Assignment to the undersigned.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional filing fees due and any other fees due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or § 1.17 during the pendency of this application to our Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

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